QUICK REFERENCE ACTIVITIES GUIDE

3 – EDUCATIONAL SCHOOL-RELATED & ACTIVITIES

Carry out discipline Develop & monitor IEP goals Supervise students outside of the classroom Monitor immunization compliance Evaluate curriculum, policies or instruction Attend meetings for initial approval or review of IEP Prepare & provide classroom &/or individual instruction Obtain student registration information

4 – DIRECT MEDICAL SERVICES – Provide care, treatment, & counseling services:

Physical or mental health assessments & diagnostic testing

Developmental assessments

Assisting with personal care or special procedures

Administering first aid, prescribed injection, immunizations or medications

Routine or mandated health screenings

Health/mental health services identified in an IEP

Speech, occupational &/or physical therapies

Clinical services

10-SYSTEM SUPPORT OR PERSONAL TIME

Breaks, vacation, sick leave, & other paid time not at work

Staff or district-level meetings

Review school or district procedures or rules

Supervision or evaluation of staff, student teachers or classroom volunteers

Administrative/clerical activities related to general building or district functions or operations, other than those associated with 9b

9 - REFERRAL, COORDINATION & MONITORING

9A - Referrals for non-medical services or Free Care:

- Social, educational, vocational services & special education
- Free Care examples:

An acute or one-time event occurs

■ Child injured & school assesses, refers & follows-up

Referral is within the school system

■ Teacher refers student to another staff member

Services & activities related to a 504 plan

9B - Referrals for medical, dental, mental health, substance abuse & family planning:

Filters (conditions) to be met for this activity:

Not direct medical care Not health screenings or immunizations

Not Child Find Not 504
Not IEP Not Free Care

Referral is to current Medicaid provider (use provider lists, MAA web page, telephone call, etc.)

Performing activities that:

Refer student to verified Medicaid health care provider(s) in the community

Follow-up to ensure service was received

Participate in meeting/discussion with other staff, health care professionals &/or parents to coordinate or review need for health related services covered by Medicaid (Supplemental Documentation Required: Tracking Guide)

1 - OUTREACH

1A - General health education, wellness & prevention programs & Child Find activities:

Inform individuals about their eligibility for non-Medicaid social, vocational & educational programs (including special education)

Inform about wellness programs, healthy life-styles & practices

Provide health &/or prevention education (dental, tobacco, alcohol, drug & violence)

Identify children with special medical needs through Child Find activities

1B - Inform about Medicaid, services available & encourage access:

Filters (conditions) to be met for this activity:

Medicaid related

Directed toward school population (students & their parents/guardians)

- Describe benefits & availability of Medicaid & Healthy Options managed care services
- Distribute literature about the benefits, eligibility requirements, & availability of Medicaid, including preventive services under Early Periodic Screening Diagnosis & Treatment (EPSDT)
- Use MAA literature or obtain MAA approval before creating own materials

2 – FACILITATING APPLICATIONS

2A - Explain or help individuals or families to apply for programs like IDEA, TANF & reduced lunches:

- Inform about programs, such as, Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF); Food Stamps; Women, Infants & Children (WIC), day care, legal aid, IDEA & other social or educational programs
- Explain the eligibility application process
- Assist with application & re-application process for continuing eligibility

Provide applications forms

Assist in gathering necessary documentation

2B - Explain & assist students & families with the Medicaid application:

Filters (conditions) to be met for this activity:

Medicaid application form
Application-related materials

Explain the Medicaid eligibility application process

Provide & help complete application forms Assist in gathering necessary documentation

5 - TRANSPORATION

5A - Transportation not in support of Medicaid covered services:

Schedule or arrange transportation to social, vocational, &/or educational programs & activities

5B - Schedule or arrange transportation to Medicaid covered services:

Arrange transportation through the Medicaid transportation brokerage system or inform families how to use the brokerage system

7 – PROGRAM PLANNING, POLICY DEVELOPMENT, INTERAGENCY COORDINATION

7A - Regarding non-medical needs & services:

Perform collaborative activities associated with developing strategies to improve the coordination & delivery of non-medical services, such as, social, educational & vocational

7B - Improve coordination & delivery of medical/dental/mental health services:

Filters (conditions) to be met for this activity:

Collaborate with other agencies & health care professionals

Identified in job description:

- % of time dedicated
- Responsibilities include program planning & interagency coordination

Analyze Medicaid data &/or evaluate the need for medical/dental/mental health services

Identify gaps or duplication of health services

Develop strategies to improve coordination & delivery of needed health services

Increase Medicaid provider participation & improve provider relations

8 - TRAINING

8A - Participating in or coordinating professional development & training on instructional, emotional, social & behavioral needs of students, Child Find:

Curriculum improvement Asthma monitoring & control

Poverty training Smoking Cessation

Conflict Resolution Mental illness & treatment modalities

8B - Participating in or coordinating training that improves delivery of medical/Medicaid-related services, early identification & referral for special health services like EPSDT (not IDEA) & related administrative requirements:

Filters (conditions) to be met for this activity:

Related to Medicaid or school-based administrative match

Examples:

- Medicaid 101 Medicaid services available for children & how to apply for coverage
- Using EPSDT to enhance early identification of and intervention with children experiencing health-related needs